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MANCHESTER WOMAN SENTENCED ON DRUG CHARGE

CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE: Amalia Bracero, 41, of Manchester, appeared in U.S. District Court for the District of New Hampshire today and was sentenced to 24 months incarceration and three years supervised release after pleading guilty earlier this year to five counts of distribution of a controlled substance. Bracero was indicted on April 13, 2005 after she sold crack cocaine to an undercover officer on five occasions in July of 2004.

U.S. Attorney Colantuono stated, "The prosecution of this case and others like it represents the continuing efforts of local and state law enforcement, working jointly with the United States Attorney's Office, to eradicate crack cocaine from the streets of New Hampshire."

The prosecution of this case resulted from the collaborative efforts of the New Hampshire Attorney General's Drug Task Force and the Manchester Police Department. This case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Helen White Fitzgibbon.